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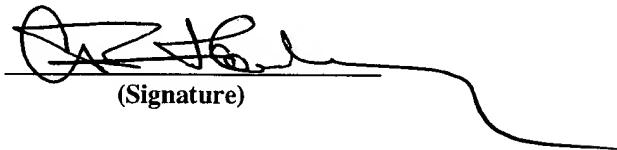
IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : Klaus KRINNER, et al.  
Serial No. : 09/762,713  
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For : DEVICE FOR FASTENING POLES, POSTS, MASTS  
OR THE LIKE IN THE GROUND, AND METHOD  
FOR MANUFACTURING A FASTENING DEVICE  
Group Art Unit : 3632  
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**AMENDMENT**

Sir:

In response to the Office Action of December 15, 2004 please amend the  
above-identified patent application as follows: